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For: PROTECTIVE COVER WHICH IS INTENDED

TO BE MOUNTED ON THE REAR BEARING OF A ROTATING ELECTRICAL MACHINE, ALTERNATOR AND ALTERNATOR-

STARTER COMPRISING ONE SUCH COVER

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION WITH SUBMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 18, 2008, please reconsider this application in view of the following.